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RE: Application Serial No.: 09/531,449
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Filing Date: March 20, 2000
For: OPTICAL INFORMATION MEDIUM AND ITS
FABRICATION PROCESS
Group Art Unit: 1774
Examiner:

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Awaiting Further Action Status Request (in duplicate)

Our check in the amount of \$0 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Sir:

The Patent Office is respectfully requested to inform the undersigned of the approximate date on which further action will be taken on this Application. A Copy of all papers filed October 20, 2003 and which included an Amendment Transmittal Form, a Request for Reconsideration (10pp.) and a Request for Extension of time (1) responsive to an action mailed July 2, 2003 were faxed to you April 8, 2004.

A duplicate of this letter is enclosed for your convenience.

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